



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants:	Robert E. Fischell et al.)	Dkt. No.:	JOH2748P0043US
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Title:	Stent Having a Multiplicity of Undulating Longitudinals)		

Commissioner for Patents
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SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Dear Sirs:

Prior to the initial examination of the above-identified application, please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.